Sitka Alaska Aug. 31st 1880.

Dr. Jackson Dear Brother

As I stated in my last letter that I would try & write something for your paper this month. I have begun in time & have written a little which we would be glad if you would publish, especially our appeal for Christmas gifts. We hope to have a good time then. I mention that we have means at hand to make our school room comfortable for the Winter. This was through the kindness of Mrs. Pettis of Dayville O. who allowed us to use $100.00 she had previously given me for the repairing of the room. I did not explain this to you last month for the reason that I did so to Mrs. Haines in

answer to some questions she asked me & she said they expected to see you soon & then I supposed you might know how it was. We expect to go on a little trip to some of the indian towns North. We go with Mr. Vanderbilt & his family. who have kindly invited Col. Ball's family & us to go on a short trip on the trading Steamer which he commands now. & which makes monthly trips from here to the posts North. I do not know that we will get as far as the Chilcat town or not as we must try & get back by the time the California arrives. If we get back in time I will try & tell you about our trip. We have had heavy rains for the past few days the heaviest we have experienced in Alaska. Mrs. Lyons joins me in kindest regards to yourself & family. Yours in Christ

G. W. Lyons

I sent your statement about the $100.00 to as you can.

United States Indian Service, Dr. R.

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR INDIAN YOUTH,

CARLISLE BARRACKS,

Carlisle, Pa., Aug 9, 1880

Rev. Sheldon Jackson
Denver

My dear Brother—

Thanks for your note from Washn. I shall be just as well pleased to have you bring the Utes. I only put myself in the way of going in order to make things easy at the Dept.

About the Navajoes. Would not the old Chief 22 yr. old son be just the one to head the party, look out for the welfare of it, and as a help here? If no interpreter offers, and there is a Mexican speaking one, we can get on nicely with Nellie, who is going to do well.

I sent you 39 photos of your party, by Reg. pkge. yesterday.

Cordially Yours
R.H. Pratt

Advise me of the prospects, both Navajoe & Ute

I have only $16.00 left for the Canoe. It comes in very Handy!

Fort Wrangel Alaska

Aug 11th /80.

Rev Sheldon Jackson D.D.

Dear Brother

Your Letter of June 15th (which I should have recieved last mail) Also your letter of July 20th with letter for Mrs Dickinson arrived yesterday. It seems strange to receive a letter from You dated at Santa Fe. I am so rejoiced that God is opening up the work all over that Territory & sending workmen to so many places. I know very much of it is to your credit. Surely you will have your reward. We are much disap-

fointed about no man
coneing for either Chil-
cat or Kyda. Mor fastic
ularly Chilcat for the Cath-
olics expect to send a
man next month.
In order to get a begin
ing made first Mr
Young is going up to
stay two months.
I sent Mrs Dickinsons
letter up to Sitka. I thought
she would get it sooner
from there. Then Mr
Young had not decided
to go. I am happy to tell
you we are at Last
in our new Home.
We moved last week.
Thursday night we had
a little entertainment.
Music & a neat little
address from Mr Young.

In. which he Eulogised me more than I think he should have done. I will send you a Copy of it. If I can get him to write it in time, Then you can publish it & the ~~forego~~ above etims about it's coming into the Home if you wish. I now have 22 girls, they are much excited about the new house, & think it is very grand. The workmen are not through yet - But I was so anxious to get moved before the Steamer came in that I thought I would not wait any longer. I hope we will all feel inspired to make

greater efforts than
we have ever done.
It is just three years
yesterday since you &
I arrived in Alaska.
I think there has been
much accomplished
in that time. But
I am just beginning
to see my heart's desire.
God grant I may
not be disappointed
but that the work
will go forward with
renewed vigor & zeal.
If you ask Dr Kendall
to let you read my
report you may find
some items that will
help to make up an
article for your paper.
I am so tired out
& so busy It does not

Seem possible for me
to write a Letter for
the R. M. P. at this
time. We all rec-
eived the Books this
mail Please accept
thanks. Both from
me & Miss Dunbar.
I think it very strange
they did not come
before when the others
did. I am sorry you
dont like my picture.
I will send you a
small one in this
that my friends all like
the expression of better
than the ~~small~~ large one
many thanks for the
childrens pictures. I
hope to get Mrs Jacksons
soon. Mrs Dickinsons
Boy was sent up last Steam

I can write nothing to this one Rose without hearing further from you. This is the very first I have heard of him. Did not know she had asked to have a girder taken into the Home on this account. If you ever wrote to me about it the letter must have been lost. I feel very sorry about the Children. Mr Young expects to start there on Saturday & to be gone two months. I don't know how we will get along Dr Corlies not being at home. With kind Regards & love to your family. Yours Truly A. R. McCalla

Refer in reply to the following a
New Mex. 3 4757 80.

Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

WASHINGTON, Aug 23, 1880.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson.
Denver Colo.

Sir:

In conformance with request contained in your communication of the 16th inst. Agent Thomas and Acting Agent Bennett have been requested to arrange for the transportation of yourself and teachers to Jemez and the Navajo agency, from Santa Fe and Ft Wingate on the 31st of August and 6th of September respectively.

Your obt servt

E. Marble
Acting Commissioner.

Refer in reply to the following a

Russell 9460/80

Author 12150/80.

Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20th, 1880.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson.
Denver. Colo.

Sir.

Replying to your communication of the 11th inst. relative to making renewed efforts for securing Navajo children for the Carlisle school, I have to inform you that the Hon. Secretary has authorized you to make a second trip to that agency for that purpose. Twenty children may be selected, and Mr. Thos. Keams and three chiefs may be allowed to accompany the party to Carlisle, and visit Washington. Hamilton's son of 24 years of age, may be accepted. Provided such a concession will

materially affect the securing of other children; but you will bear in mind that the best work is accomplished with children not over fifteen years old.

You will keep this Office informed of your action and call upon it for the necessary transportation of the children.

Yours respectfully

Commissioner

Acting Commissioner.

Copy

Custom House, Sitka, Alaska,

Collector's Office, August 18, 1880.

Hon. John Sherman
Secretary of the Treasury.

Sir:

I understand that the Presbyterian Board of Missions contemplates making an effort to purchase the old Marine Hospital Building in this place with a view of fitting up the same for an Industrial and Missionary School.

If such an offer is made, I respectfully recommend that the same be accepted, as the building and grounds are now of no use whatever to the Government and the house is in a most dilapidated condition, and must, in a few months, become almost useless,

unless it could be repaired and occupied. There is no prospect, that I can see, of its becoming of service for its former purpose, within many years, unless there should be a new order of things here, such as it seems almost hopeless to look for; nor is it probable it could be made profitable, for any other purpose, without much outlay. Besides this, I consider the use by the Mission Board, in the manner proposed, would be, in the highest degree beneficial to and promotive of the development and improvement of this country, and thereby inure to the benefit of the Government.

Very respectfully
M. D. Ball
Collector

Sitka Alaska Aug 11th 1880.

Dr. Jackson Dear Bro.

I was calculating on Miss. Austin writing a letter for your excellent paper this month. but from her last conversation with me I think she will not do so. The Steamer returns in a short time & I will only have time to write you a short letter. By next mail I shall if spared write something for the Rocky Mt. Pres. & begin in time. not waiting for any one. By the way we did not receive the Rocky Mt. Pres. this month. Have never failed to get it before since I came here. I had a letter from Mrs. Haines this mail making

inquiry about the Hospital building
here as to whether it would be a good
plan to buy it & its probable cost.
We all agreed that it would be a good
plan if it could be secured at any
thing like a reasonable rate. We could
not tell her anything about the cost
but Col. Ball said he thought it might
be had reasonably. Mrs. Haines said they
were expecting you in the East soon
& you would see about it at Washing-
ton. Col. Ball said he would write
on about it this mail & his letter
you could refer to when you went.
I did not say anything about what
you wrote concerning the Industrial
school, which you expected to have
established. That is I did not say
anything about it to Mrs. Haines.
I fear I thought if you succeed with
the school enterprise that perhaps
the Government would give this
Hospital property for the purpose.
And if they do not seem inclined
to give that & the 160 acres of land

if you decided as to location would it not be a good plan to do all that could be done to secure the hospital without the 160 acres. You know I can enter the 160 acres in my own name & afterward give it to the mission. There would be nothing wrong about that would there? We have looked the land over & have not located yet definitely. Col. Ball said if the hospital property could be secured land might be taken up just back of it almost adjoining. But if we do not get the hospital we may locate it at some other place.

We had an indian funeral a few days ago. It was of a child of one of the indians employed on the Jamestown. The officers had a neat coffin made & several of them attended the funeral. From the house to the place when the child was buried we followed a narrow path, some places very muddy, & on both sides of which was

grass & bushes. The grass & bush
ften hung over the path above our
heads, & was very wet. Notwithstand
ing this several of the ladies went to
the grave, wading through the grass
& mud that the indians might be
encouraged to bury their dead instead
of burning them.

The latest report is that the Ship
Jamestown is to be taken away about
October & that no other is to come
in her place. I hope the Government
may not leave us without some pro-
tection. There would be danger if
the protection was entirely removed.
& yet I sometimes think there might
be more hope for immediate results
from missionary effort if the influ
ence & some of the low sailors
was taken away.

Yours in Christ

Geo Lyons.

Refer in reply to the following a

Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14th, 1880.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson.
Denver. Colo.

Sir.

Replying to your communication of the 11th inst. you are informed that the changes which you request in the contracts for carrying on schools at the Uintah, Uncompahgre and Western Shoshone agencies will be made. The contract for the Public boarding school has gone to Dr. Kendall to be executed — the terms being those proposed by you, viz: $30.00 per quarter.

Yours respectfully

E. J. Brooks
Acting Commissioner.

Socorro N. M. Aug. 2, 80

Rev. Sheldon Jackson D.D.

Dear Bro. Your proposition is at hand. I had already opened communication with Dr Eddy & intend to go up & spend Sabbath next. (Aug 10th) & a day or two in visiting & preaching there. I have not spent a single Sabbath since I came here. I can secure an audience for my family & preach every Sabbath, make acquaintances &c. The methodist minister & I have their church with me. & I have accepted for the present. But a better opportunity has opened up. A fine large room which has been tendered me & accepted. I am to repair, seat & light it. I rent it along as we live, unless a Baptist Church is duly & successfully started here. Then I am to have ample time to build, or secure another house. & also to receive all moneys & compose. This Contract is to be in writing to be delivered to me tomorrow morning by the owner of the building Judge Shorr.

I have, by special invitation, visited the Magdalena Mines 30 miles N. of Socorro & the Workings there in

[illegible] Key West [illegible] for [illegible]

preached Saturday night & Sunday afternoon there was, manifestly, good done, & an interest begun for our work in New Mexico. I think I can get help in Toledo,

Do you know our Dr. Bacon. or Rev. Mr McCracken, our Pres. preachers in Toledo? If so please drop them a line, laying the fact of my being on the ground here [illegible] among miners &c & having both this & the [illegible] N. M. to hold. etc. The fact that a large Company of Toledo Gentlemen are working so near here, will be a strong hold on those Churches & they may help us. I will perhaps write to them & ask them to lay our case before their Let me assure you, Dr. Churches.

I will prayerfully & earnestly work to the very best of my ability. I have been sending my bills for meals [illegible] in the valley [illegible] Dr. Rents &, request early remittance of balance of Expense money I paid out in getting here. this letter and Board allowed it.

I am to find [illegible] Yours S. D. Fullen.
Jane the buildings also for School room &c work

Money sent Mrs Boyd
Aug 14. 1880 – for canoe
At Ft Wrangell –

New York. N.Y.
Aug 2nd 1880

D. Vincent,

Dear friend,

Please hand the enclosed $3.60 to either Dr. Jackson, or Ram Chunder Bose, as you think best. It is the amount contributed, almost entirely in pennies, by my little school, numbering eleven, during the past year, the most of it having been given by a little class of five boys, whose ages ranges from five to eight. All of it was either earned or the result of some act of self sacrifice.

If it might prove a brick in Dr's great work of missions we shall be very glad.

For the encouragement of the children I would like to learn, either through you, or in some other way, what disposition is made of it. I hope to be able to awaken new interest among them by means of the information I have gained here. Sincerely Yours,

August 2nd 1880. Clara G. Williamson

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

To Rev. D
Sheldon Jackson D.D.
Denver
Colorado

Feb

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Idaho Springs Colo.

Aug 3. 1880

Rev. Dr. Jackson—

Dear Brother, I am completely discouraged respecting Church matters and feel sorry that I have had anything to do with them. We are in a very lamentable condition Mr. Carruthers finding himself a failure has set himself to work to accomplish two things. One to invest the money in any hands for church repair and appropriate it to his own use. The other to fix things here so that no other man can succeed. In other words to kill the cause The first he has accomplished in part. the other completely I fear. I told you in my last of his attempt to get the money, and his advise to us to shut up the church, sell it, give it away, any thing but try again to make it a success &c. Not succeeding in the money part. he immediately goes to work to take the Treasurers office and any thing and yes it in those he can dabble to his liking. Previous to this he had told me he did not care whether there was a church organization here or not.

Now he goes to work immediately and says at the next service they will organize a church so that there would be some one to look after the church and hold the church money &c, that now no one has any business to do it &c. Of course all members of other Churches had no time to send for letters of dismissal and recommendation, He tells them "that's no use"; just join on profession of faith The simple minded and love of the thing "just in ap to grind" did as they were requested while a few were sharp enough to see the trick and have nothing to do with it. After the morning service he organizes and appoints his officers with little ceremony not even administering the Sacrament. For directors he appoints Mr. Sharp, Bonham, and Mathews Not one of which is solvent for a five dollar note. The worlds people wouldn't trust them with a nickle. The two former tried to enter our Good Templars Lodge, almost every black ball in the box was thrown against them. The latter a weak minded man, not having sense enough to hardly know the difference between right and wrong, and consequently an easy prey, as he has proved to be in Mr. Cook's hands. He also appointed Mathews Treasurer. The next morning before

breakfast even, he comes and demands the money in the treasury. There is a due bill of eleven dollars from the Methodists so this we expect to pay freight on our blinds which are nearly completed, also for hanging them, and a few other little bills in connection with the general repairs. He has been to the treasurer of that society and forbid his paying the money to any body but himself. So I suppose Carothers will get that much and our blinds will lay at the Depot.

Now these very men with a judicious pastor might have been made of use to us in running the Church. But placed in office they will be very officious and would kill any organization. No one of any ability or respectability is going to have anything to do with them.

Now if this meeting and the business transacted is legal. (I know not the rules of the Presbyterian church and know but little about them.) it is of no use for us for us to try another man. While these men regarded as they are in the eye of the people at the head there is no use in trying to run. Mr. Carothers knows this and is jubilant. so also are the Methodists. I feel very, very sorry things have turned as they have. While the

right kind of a man we would have had a good audience by this time and the next six months would very nearly paid his salary

Mr. Carothers talks a great deal about the Board and yourself. Says he does n't care if they have D. D. attached to their names. he will reign them up. he will make them smart for this. that he has reigned them up before and that he can do it again &c. People have asked me what the trouble was between him and the Board. I have replied I did n't know unless there was a mistake in making out his commission in the first place, then according to his own story he wrote you a very saucy, insulting letter. And I thought perhaps the Board thought it not best to right it.

I write you thus minutely that you may better judge of our condition and know what is best to be done.

If you see fit to use the information (it will stand testing) please withhold my name

In much haste

Your sister in Christ, Mary J. Wilkins

Socorro N. M.
Aug. 3rd 80

Rev. T. Jackman D.D.

Dear Bro. Since writing last night, it has occurred to me to suggest that Socorro with its fine healthful location & fine surroundings, will be a better place for any kind of a school you may want to establish than the Lower, miasmatic flat on which Albuquerque is situated. The question of a location for a school has much to do with its success & attraction.

Yours Respectfully & Fraternally,

T. D. Denton,

P.S. No 2 will you please inform me at what

time in Oct our presbytery meets, first, second or third Tuesday in Oct.

W. C. B

to attend the Seminary this winter. I had gone so far that I saw no honorable way of getting out of my engagement to him. If I still feel at the end of the seven months of school as I do now I will surely go to the mission field if the way is still open. Miss Stanclift fully approved her going as soon as the field was pronounced a dangerous one. She is very anxious to get possession of her recommendations again, and as they will be of no further use to the Board please send both hers and mine to me. I will enclose postage.

Yours truly J. H. Kennedy.

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Yours truly J. H. Kennedy.

No 1

New Zealand
Anderson's Bay
10th Augt 1880.

Dear Dr Jackson

I put a notice of your work on Alaska in our "Presbyterian," copy of which I send you by this mail

I have written to Australia, New Guinea, & to Fiji for contributions for Dr Princeton Cabinet — & will make up a box here for you as soon as possible which I will dispatch to your address at San Francisco I have already put in proposal —

before our Christian people
& will be glad if I can get
some of them interested
in it—

The Lord bless you
abundantly in all yr
efforts to advance His
Kingdom!

Yours Very Sincerely
Stuart Ross

Note

Ann Eliza Young formerly one of Brigham Youngs wives

Kansas City, Mo

Aug 11 1888

Dear Bro Jackson

Rev. W. Griffin of Montana, Kansas, is a good earnest hard working man. His education is limited & he is not equal to a first class place, i.e. I would not recommend him for Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo. But he is a music & practical. I shall gladly recommend him for a Country place & he has a large family & is poor. —

I am sorry to hear a poor account of Edmunds, he did need all of Love. —

I see no body for the Denver Country. What can I do to get a good man? I want for that country, [illegible] will

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23 Centre Street, New York. Dec. 11th 1880

Dear Sir —

I have put [illegible] in W. H. Kobbé's hands for [illegible] Genl Assembly —

Detroit Practice — 2nd Thursday — Oct. 14th

Ill. Central — Quincy — " " " " "

Indiana South — Evansville Ind. — Friday after 2nd Thursday " 15th

Cleveland — [illegible] " 19th

Illinois North — Kankakee Ill. " " " 17th

Indiana North — Ft. Wayne — 2nd Thursday " 21st

[illegible] " " " 31st

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[illegible] Dr. Kendall [illegible]

[illegible] Yours [illegible] Mrs. C. H. Haines —

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23 Centre Street. New York, [illegible] 1880

(Cod) Dr. [illegible]

Dear Sir,

I have been away for two days
[illegible] note from Dr. Kendall
asking me to send you an abstract
of publications, especially as to
music, & the training about
which we wrangled last
[illegible] will attend to it im-
mediately & hope the Church may
soon awaken to a sense of its
duty & its glorious privilege in
this matter. It must be prompt-
ly done & then kept up, or
it will fail from
[illegible] the Committee will
be all at the Office [illegible] five
or six times a year, & [illegible]

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[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
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The Board of Home Missions
OF
The Presbyterian Church in the United States of America,

23 Centre Street, New York, Aug. 12. 1880.

Dear Bro. Jackson-

You must see that an application is got up for Eastman-Those fellows that fought Amin away- must "fork over"- They promised great things- now let them perform or disappear as the Chicago promises from Idaho Springs!

Rev. Prof. E. J. Boyd of Monroe, Mich. proposes to make a trip to Col. & New Mexico soon. Suppose you invite him to come & go with you to Pueblo & Jemez!

2. Puget Sound Presbytery has asked Dr. Jacobs to Commission Mann for the Nez Perces, Chehalis & other remnants of tribes & that too after Thompson had acted on the same. Complication No. 1.

3. Dr. L. says Mr. Critchlow is in correspondence with him for teachers &c. among the Utes. What does that mean. Complication No. 2.

I have got the papers for the Pueblo School at Albuquerque to commence with Dec. 1st for six months. I want you to ask Dr. Thomas if it would not be desirable to employ Mrs. Perkins a party for that work — or if he would take kindly to it provided we should make the appointment?

Mrs. Haines is posting you as to the various qualifications of the teachers appointed to Utah.

Consider them all carefully, handle them gently, adapt them to their work assigned wisely — tell the brethren we will send help missionaries as soon as we can find the right men.

Yours truly
H. Kendall

Edinboro Erie. Pa
Aug 13- 1880

Dear Bro.

I was glad to get your note from Santa Fee I will keep you posted as to our whereabouts- Am having a grand vacation but I have word from Aminas which makes me vexed.

The Congregation have rented as Mame sis there a decade and after all their fair words. It worst such a pity that Bro Campbell failed to come 1

Can't you do some-
thing to stop such
work as such
violation of the
unchristianizing of
Comity — It is so
strange —
When I think
of all the kindness
of the Colorado people
your kindness and
the kindness of the
Board I feel as
if I could never
repay it — I am
glad you say you
will get me a
place by Fall
God bless you
W C Bitzer
at home —

Salt Lake City, Aug. 14 - 89

Dear Dr. Jackson:

In reply to yours from Ogden
— Presbytery will meet at Logan
next Friday Evening, Aug. 20th at
7.30. We all go up Thurs-
day Evening The train from the
East arrives at 5.30 p.m. makes
connection with the Utah
Northern road - big ✗ as we
Logan at 11 p.m.

One of the Cache at St.
George, the other at Parowan,
Day has arrived for New York

Wish you'd bring out another first-class crew like Day for Payson.

Am in favor of the Board of Beauty & Bellas Safes of Messrs for Montana Idaho & New Utah

You must not fail to come down here and see our new building & Equipments before you go to the Ladies Fair when you go

Yours Fraternally

Robt Galbraith

Chicago, Ill.,

June 14th 1881

Rt. Rev. Jonathan Lindley, D. D.,

Denver, Colorado.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Darley was here three weeks ago last Wednesday, & stopped at Abrams' for dinner. Had a long and doleful story to tell of the trials and wrongs he had endured from some of the Methodist ministers." But in no case was he in the wrong, Had taken Jackson down a peg & served him right for some of the rest of the same.

Abrams said he told him in the kindest manner on both sides, but that he should take up no more quarrels, and he added in telling me neither will I, till I come before the church. I'll come of my bread and butter"

He said he thought Mr. Darley intended making trouble through the officers of the church, & I said I should not say a word here, but let him have his own way till next meeting of Pres.

That is all I know except that Abrams' wife told me Mr. Darley said "that Miss Smith died, she died through ignorance, but that I was his killer enemy".

I told her I would say a word to Mr. Abrams. The Methodists have never treated me a single word of his in regard to these affairs. He never liked Mr. Darley but he said he had never uttered his opinion

to any of the Mexicans except his wife, and I believe that to be the truth.

If Mr. Darby has told those people, as I suppose he has, that I have made false statements, I want the presbytery to take it up and either make an example of me or clear me entirely, and I want you to proceed against me if necessary, I believe it will be best for the cause, and I am afraid all the injury that will result to me in either case.

I am found guilty.

But my time had to be in writing today is not to discuss Darby or myself but Mr. Parks, and the substance of it all will be, I have no confidence in the man, and do not want him to install for Mr. Norton when he comes,

I believe of him, as Miss Smith does of Mr. Darby "that he has a wonderful faculty for telling the truth in such a way as to convey an impression utterly the reverse of the truth."

And then he is so changeable. Until the latter part of the winter he talked very much against Mr. Darby. He thought he ought to be censured at the stormy meeting of presbytery and was very indignant that Mr. Darby should with him to mail, till fall.

He was going to spend his life in the service of the Lord Jesus Christ and if no society saw fit to accept of his services he would work alone as the servant of the Lord.

He had so much to say against Mr. Darley that his neighbors on La Jara said it was a shame for him after receiving as many favors as he had.

I've not talked with him of Mr. Darley since Pres. The first time he came, June 29th, he had Feliz Ortega with him, Said he had had a letter from Mr. Darley and that Mr. Darley was doing now what just suited him: travelling and earning money.

That Darley was a rustler, anyhow.

This was said in such a sympathetic regretful manner that I imagined he was wishing he could travel and earn money, too.

Left morning he met Feliz coming with the rebel roan and he said he was going to take Feliz and with him that dog and he had said he wanted quite a bit half of the money received.

Feliz was teaching school in the afternoon and when he had a chance to talk to me he said that Mr. Darley had [illegible] Mr. Jacobs that the Board had withheld his salary for the last quarter because I had voted in Presbytery that he turn after the laying on of hands. That Mr. Darley was a good minister and spoke Mexican and Pimeros, quite Gomez, Hernandez and perhaps Juan Bautista Chacon are going to Presbytery in the fall and Pimeros wanted Gomez as an interpreter.

and they were going to ask to have Mr. Darley back again. That it wanted to be a new minister a long time to learn the language and that Mr. Jacobs wanted not interested for any one but Mr. Darley. That David Strauss understood the language well enough but he wanted to be ashamed. (bashful).

I simply shrugged my shoulders like a Mexican and replied that it was one office for the Board and Pres. to settle. That the Board had sent Dr. Jackson here to see about it;

Yes, he said, but Jackson was to be turned out, too; That the Ministers in New Mexico at Taos, Las Vegas and Santa Fe were very mad at him because he had sent among a good minister one that spoke Mexican well. He finished by saying that he was very mad with any one who spoke against Mr. Darley, but did not then understand the word he used so that failed of its effect. However he seemed to forget all about it; after that day,

Since Mr. Darley was here last, one of the members broached the subject, but in a friendly way and in the course of the conversation he told me that Mr. Jacobs had told them to petition to have Mr. Darley back, and though I understood him perfectly I gathered that Simmons thought, possibly Pres. might have known something against Mr. Darley was the reason he was not allowed to come back. Simmons is the junior elder and I believe will turn out the latter man,

Mr. Jacobs preached Wednesday evening June 30, He was in his way down to Van Horn, told me of his visit to Taos early in June. Said things had been dragging along there not much being done till he went down and got to stirring about among the people and then they had a revival, directly, and 13 were received into the church, Unfortunately Baptismally asked, "What the result of whose revivaling was it;" Oh- he said Padre Martinez's who left the Romish church many years ago.

He said his disapproval of Mr. Roberts. This time they were good friends. Mr. Roberts wanted him to put up the schoolhouse at Las Ranchos He was going to sell his ranch, pay up his debts and move to Taos. He wanted to have a school that was likely to be permanent. Mrs. Roberts had money to educate children but had no children to educate, so she might educate his. One thing I dislike in him is his want of manly independence He would rather beg than work.

He preached here again, Sabbath July 24th and Wednesday night of this week, Prayer Tuesday evening. I believe the original part of his sermons gives the people a more mild impression of the sins of the priests than of their own sinfulness

I consider him a failure as a colporteur, also. It would make another long story to tell you why. Mrs. Van Horn told me last winter that he was not doing much good amongst the

Metí cems he came they considered him dishonest, and gave circumstances his selling the cheap Bible for 85, he came and his wagon made with a Bible in tool and he checked the Metícem for his wagon he checked five thimbles and the Metícem did not take off the wheels to look at it before hacking, so did not know it;

I have written Mr. Morton asking him to come here while the decides where to locate, and this is to you he comes, I do not mean to say one wired to him against either Mr. Darley or Mr. Jacobs, and I do not mean either of them to give him any of their ideas of the Metícems or Metícem work,

He will do better left to himself.

My school is quite small but I have not been at all well and have thought it best, all things considered to keep as quiet as possible. Now, my health is beginning to improve a little.

Miss Smith has had an attack of sickness but holds on bravely. When will Mr. Morton come?

I would rather not have revealed anything pertaining to yourself, What I have written is all that I heard and I have asked no questions.

I was only to hear the result of investigation, for my time I have used any thing in a Metícem that was not favorable to it. Darley was when Simeon, the elder wanted to know something as to the proceedings

of Pres. in regard to Mr. Darley saying that Bro. Monsemares could not understand. I told him Pres. did not consider Mr. Darley a bad man but that his judgment was not good in affairs connected with the school. That he was wrong in teaching them to discard remedies and depend upon prayer alone, for the cure of the sick, and that he had said to me, when I questioned as to some of his beliefs, that if presbytery did not allow him to preach such things he would leave presbytery and preach by himself.

I have no personal difference with Mr. Jacobs, so far as I know.

One day I was electuring Felix a little because he had told me of getting the letter of (Mr. Jacobs in a horse trade and in the course of the conversation I remarked that (Mr. Jacobs had many things to learn yet, as he had been a Christian less than five years.

In the same conversation he told me he thought Mr. Jacobs must make a great deal of money with his books, that he had sold a little Bible in the Pin Colorado for $3.00 and that he had sold a $2.50 Bible to one of the Martinez's in Tacs for $5.00 or $5.50 and I think he mentioned another case of the kind. The truth of this would be ascertained from (Mr. Roberts.) Then I said I did not know whether the Secretary would approve of that or not. That is all the fault I have ever found with him to a Mexican.

He told me a few weeks ago that a petition

something of the kind was being
[illegible] upon Mr. Stout. He wanted
help him greatly. That Mr. Peters wanted
him to travel with the ex-governor's and then
them how to do.

He talks like a martyr of the sacrifices he is
alleged to make, to pay debts
contracted in the service of the Society, but
the most pressing debt I know of, is for money
$60.00 borrowed to invest in Spanish books
school books, to carry along with his Bibles
to speculate upon. He was able to carry
him and the Bibles but on exploration of the
business necessitated a wagon and horses
and there the trouble began.

From what he said this week I judge
he is tired of the employ of the society, yet he told
me he intended to give security, procure
a hundred large copies of the Bible and sell
upon his own account,

I believe bibles can be sold and well
sold throughout this country but I am not
sure he will
time to do it.

He says he received orders from you to call upon Mr. Stout to visit the churches and administer the ordinances in company with himself as interpreter. He made Mr. Stout a proposal to that effect and seemed quite indignant that he made no answer. I told him that, of course, Mr. Stout did not receive it. Since I have thought it over, I believe he suspected Mr. Stout had not money to come. I told him the Stout heard not yet [illegible] that I knew of. It will not be best, at present for a time to divulge of the contents of this letter to come into possession of the Mexicans. *

Very Sincerely Yours. Malana Conaway.

Conejos Colorado

Aug 16

in time. You will find Mr. [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[

fine audiences at preaching
& the S. S & prayermeeting
are reasonably well attended

(Mrs Brigham Young)

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

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Dr Jackson - 8. 18/80-

Denver Colorado Aug 14th 1880
and 8. 18/80-

Mrs Haines

Dear Sister - I will try & arrange that Miss ~~Kate~~ Anna M Ross shall go to Corallos or some other good point near Albuquerque in order that the Ep Ch may have the field at Mesilla - The Lady for Mesilla should be able to sing & teach instrumental Music Perhaps that Miss Susie D. Grimsted of Metuchen N. J. who wanted to start a select School at Las Vegas, (as there is no Chance at Vegas) would start her School at Mesilla - Could you not arrange an interview -

If you send Miss M. A. Gray or any other Lady teacher to New Mexico this fall, have them start so as to meet me at Santa Fe on the Evening of August 28

They might arrange to
Meet Mr J.G. Kennedy & Miss
Starrett at Kansas City about
August 26th Write Mr
Kennedy for the Exact date
When She will be there —
I see Miss McMullen
wanted to go to New Mexico.
I enclose her letter —
Family send love —
Yours Bro in Christ
Sheldon Jackson
I send Mrs Boyd to day $100
towards house for Mr Sayles at
Magri. Can you not add $200
if Mr Sinclair money to it & then
issue an appeal in the Rocky
that two parties pledge $300 if
~~the~~ others will raise $300 more
They need $600 for that building

Elko Nevada

Aug 17, 1871

Rev. Sheldon Jackson D.D.

Dear Sir

On last Sabbath our School gave their collection for "that Canoe" to help the girls & boys in Alaska to a canoe Mission. They were very much interested in Miss Hamilton's letter and I send as a result to you $2.45 (two dollars and forty five cts.) which you will please credit to the Elko Presbyterian Sabbath School. We wish it were more ~~$~~ - Sincerely yours,

Mesilla New Mexico
Augt 17th 80

Dear Brother

Gonno with
Letter of Mrs Palmer re-
ceived - was pleased to
hear from you - send in
need of books and write
write for them. As regard
the school - I will write you
definitely as soon as we
can get school started
We'd like to open school
the first week in September
— I never had
so many trials and dis-
couragements as I met
at this place. Some of
Mexicans seem determ-
ined to keep me from get-
ting a house or room
for a school and church-
But we faith enough to
believe the Lord will in
his own good time and
way provide for us. Get-
I fear we can not make
our salary keep us — I
have a property in view
that will be sold soon
at Sheriff Sale - and I

this P.M. I can see some one to purchase for us- Mrs Graham of New York writes me she will give us five hundred dollars if we will leave building if I have to build it myself- I still remain in our own room and work in the workhouse at the Hotel-

Mrs Woods has returned from Shakespeare where her husband has rented a drinking saloon and keeps it open upon the Sabbath- however I must say for Mrs W- she is decidedly opposed to it-

I never met a more reckless careless and wicked people- as we come it seems as if Satan had complete control over them

I have preached twice every Sabbath here every Sabbath evening. Mr. Smith at Los Cruces [illegible] he also stands for it & about matters at Fort Bliss-

I one hold them and
arm - for never the work-
but hope - the cold weather
will stop them —
Miss Wife and children
are very well —

Yours Faithfully
Thomas Thompson

Aug 1st 1880

Dr. Jackson.

My dear Bro.

Our Dr. Kendall has just informed me that you will soon take a trip into N. Mexico. to visit at the missions of Santa Fe. Pres-, and he urges me to go out to Denver, & look at Colorado, & then go on with you to Santa Fe, & look at that old city —

I think my family are ably of doing so. Will you please inform me by return of mail when you shall leave home for N. Mex? I have just written two days thought of going out at present

having intended to visit the far west in Oct-
tember I hope you will not leave Brunswick before the last of this month or 1st of Sept — that I may have your company — Could you do any thing to obtain reduced tickets for me to Brunswick from Chicago? — If you can I shall be greatly obliged to you — I think of settling in the west, if South on account of the health of my family, but wish first to see the country —

In great haste
Yours truly
E. J. Boyd —

I shall send order from Mr. Eaton on Rent-Rooms to each teacher in time (D.V.) also a check for $100 to meet landing expenses Balance to be credited on Salary —

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23 Centre Street, New York, Aug. 18th 1880

Dr. Jackson — Denver Col —

Dear Sir & Brother,

I am sure it will be quite impossible for Miss Tillie E. Wray to meet either you or Mr. Kennedy by the 26th or 26th inst. — Still I have written her urging her to be ready to get to Omaha by the 11th of Sept.r —

Miss Sec. L. Lee writes from Fairbury Neb. Sept. 12th for Teacher Academy opens Sept. 12th etc —

Please make no arrangements for visit Miss Grimstead — She has been Paid on Thos foreign field &

Sincerely the wish to please,
Tho' me the world not take
me for a Home-Missy — and
God just at a time when
she was looking for teaching
we gave her Miss Lowet-
C' will write with the time
about Miss McMullin — C' the
Gospel News Mexico — & Rev
to me she might go there
C' will do do she appear
for myself Rocks — too late
this month —

We are afraid of Miss Noo for
Mrs. Baptist parade — C' had
educational position for them
to go on with the building
at all —

Yrs. very
E. S. H. Haines &c.

Hartford Sept. August 11th 1856.

Rev. E. D. Jackson;

I send, by Mr. Pendleton an application for aid in building a Church. Our Parish is the 2nd in Seymour of the Election for 11 years 3½ only 2 polls under and 11 voters. I believe he is the Chairman of the Committee of Church Erection. I hope you will give me your views about Seymour with the Board. Our town is just nothing & I should feel ashamed to ask for a certain sum. Our people pd their

(over)

Is it cold too small for our present conditions and have we reached a time of the year when both Mark and Dr. are comfortable. And now or never is the time to build. The first stone erected will be the one which gets the town aid. Will you be kind enough to drop a postal to Dr. Wilson with a good word. I have no intention to help at the Fields. We want to make a good deal first and then I could get the assessment raised by giving on. I have friends in Rochester City of Jersey. But I want done a day sooner or sooner than I take the field. Yours ever W. E. Hamilton.

United States Indian Service,

Pueblo Agency,

Santa Fe, N.M., August 18, 1880.

Sheldon Jackson, D.D.
Denver Col.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 16th inst. was received tonight. I had a letter from Albuquerque a few days ago, naming several places for rent; but the Committee said nothing about paying the rent.

I will coöperate, as far as possible, with any teachers whom you may select. Mrs. Perkins is a she devil or else Mrs. McMahon is a liar. I have a good deal of confidence in Mrs. McMahon. I feel sure that the two cannot live in the same house. Mrs. Mc. is probably not a first rate teacher,

United States Indian Service.

Agency,

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but I should think she would be a good matron. Miss. Shields would be well adapted to the place under most circumstances, but I fear would not harmonize with Mrs. Perkins because she Miss. S. is not a weak party.

You asked for my views & I have given them: now please act upon your own judgement, in the light of all the facts, & I will coöperate.

Unless something unforseen occurs, the team will be at your service at the time named. In haste.

Very truly yours.

B. M. Thomas.

Lodge with me. I am still a bachelor.
Nov.

Hookstown Beaver Co Pa

Aug 19. 1880

Rev Sheldon Jackson D.D.

Dear Brother - This day we have our family gathering & we anticipate a pleasant time. There are 25 of us children & grandchildren & most are ahead, two.

But my mind is on something else. We have been arranging to start for our field on next Thursday (24) have our goods & the old parsonage disposed of & the rest stored in Pittsburg ready for shipping. But I presume that we will not get off for another week. Our cards came yesterday & one of them has to go

Such as could not be

To Topeka & am answer awaited
this will detain us. What time
I have thus far failed in getting
my arrangements completed from
Indianapolis to St Louis. I
have orders for Engine & cars from
Mr Talbot & Mr Bates on the P.C. & St L
to Indianapolis. I write on
the Summit of the Mountain this
a- dressed in pencil, for fear
& asking the same to St Louis
But he answers that he is sorry he
cannot grant it same to mention
with along the line. I wrote
last night to Mr O'Brien of Columbus
to ask what he can do for us &
how all will yet be right.

As to my pilot. I have letters
from Mr Shedd & Wife Smith Cox
& Conaway. I have think it best

to go at once among the Mexicans & Americans to go to Mrs Canada, at Mare Camps. after spending some time there among the people & acquiring the language I can then choose a better point. Tell me if you think this wise. I want to do the best & find the needful. It is for the work; the Lord we cannot be afraid. Lord as we endeavor.

(Mrs Graham)

W. W. Morlan

Socorro. N. M. July 19th 1880

Rev. Sheldon Jackson. D.D.

Dear Sir & Bro. I was taken down at Las Vegas with a spell of fever & detained some time, but came here last week. The prospects of this place are very encouraging certainly. Many people coming in & the mines showing finely. The A.T. will be here in 10 to 15 days. Business men of Las Vegas are coming out & additions to town, joining it toward the River & are to build a large Com. house & make this head quarters for their Southern trade. The Methodist have a little church here, & kindly invite me to occupy it, part of the time with them, I will see about getting a lot for church as soon as the streets are marked out in the addition & it is clearly apparent where it ought to be built. This is the prettiest location town I have seen in the Ter. & has the name of being healthy. If you can get the A.T. to furnish me a Pass I will occupy Albuquerque & other points as you advise, but it would be impossible for me to pay fare & go. Living is fine very cheap in the Ter. I left my family at Las Vegas until I can get some rooms here. & the R.R.

I am perhaps, sure you will see me a Days as soon as East, if I am go by Topeka. I think it will take personal application representations of the case to secure it.

Yours very truly

O. O. Fisher

Elko Nevada Aug 12th 1880.

Rev S. Jackson D.D.

Rev and Dear Bro

You will remember our short interview at Elko when you and Dr Kendal were on your way to Elaska last year. Our Shoshone Indians among whom I was going to live were spoken of. I feel grateful to you for securing the tribe to our Presbyterian church, And that you were permitted to select a location for a school about to be established among them.

I went as appointed and took charge of their temporary affairs last summer, Farming, permanent improvements, Distribution of rations &c. while at the Agent I now lived at Elko

one hundred miles off. Hoar knows nothing whatever of how work should be done or carried on, And cannot tell the difference between a head of wheat and a head of barley. I remained six months on the Reservation, but I found the affairs so corrupt. Theft so great, and destruction of property so enormous, conscientiously I could not remain, so I sent in my resignation, and left. Hoar was displeased at this and has kept up bitter hostility ever since. He is aware I know more of his transactions with the agency than he supposed I did, so he has endeavored to exterminate me, I suppose in order to justify himself.

I understand by Dr Compton of Elko you wrote to Holcomb in reference to me, and he has said he will use every exertion in his power to keep me out. Sent the Dr word to that effect. I am tempted sometimes, to expose him to the Department of the Interior but again think of the Mrs trouble and expense it would incur, and refrain. There never has any thing dishonorable brought up against me. It is all his talk. He living one hundred miles off all the time. I write this by way of explanation of any thing he may say.

My living among the Indians so long, getting acquainted with their names, habits, language and peculiarities, would be an advantage. My wife is a devoted

pious member of the Presbyterian Church. Is a graduate of Rockford Female Seminary Ill. Has a life diploma for teaching from the State University Cal, one of the best Institutions of the kind in the Union. Has not been out of the School room one year in succession since she was five years of age. Is now 38. Has been Principal of several Public Schools, and had charge of Alexander Academy at Healdsburg Cal, which is under the care of the Geneva Presbytery; here she was Principal for 4 years and had charge of a large number of boarding pupils at the same time, besides one dozen of teachers. And now by the venom of a fearfully wicked, blasphemous dishonest man, prevented from occupying a position I believe she is peculiarly adapted for. Had the application been for her there might not have been so much opposition. Fraternally R McCulloch

P. S. In addition to what I have written I might state, I have labored in the Ministry in Bal between 7 & 8 years, Through Lords aid and blessing have Organized and built several churches, Collected thousands of dollars for church purposes, and have not been out of the pulpit one Sabbath, from sickness of any kind, during this time. Have kept up Services riding on horseback forty Miles on Sabbath and preaching three times. 7 & 8 for years. Have taught a week day School Preached Services on Sabbath and superintended a School as well as kept up a Wednesday evening prayermeeting, Walking to and from School House each morning and evening eight Miles, each way two times a

same time. The teaching
was more to assist in the sup-
port of my family than any-
thing else. During [illegible] I
have not been an hour sick.
Often thoughts, if I could secure
a pastorate, frontier work or
the work of an Evangelist would
suit me best. But traveling
expenses are so heavy, I never
could accomplish much in
that way. I have read with the
deepest interest your labor and
work in the West. Yours have been
most remarkable. While on the
reservation I rode a mustang
to Elko, one hundred miles on
horseback in one day. Preached
in an church here, and return
on Monday morning. W.M.B.

On File

San Luis
Colo
Aug 20th

Dr Jackson I rec'd
your letter of Aug 18th
this morning and
it is the first I have
heard of my going
with Miss Ross.
The last word I
had from you was
telling me you
would not need
me at Santa Fe—
Perhaps you have
written and I
did not get the
letter. Miss Ross

has gone Dec Miss
Smith D. will be
back to-morrow
There is a letter here
for her from you
if may explain
matters more fully
to me. I am anx-
ious to go and will
be ready as soon as
possible. And do
would like to know
something more
definite
Yours respectfully
Emma Fletcher

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Denver, Aug 21 1880

Rev. Sheldon Jackson
Denver Colo.

Dear Sir:

I seen by the Morning paper that you had returned. In the Master of the Placer Claim of Mrs F. Dorsey at Idaho Springs in which you had an interest & then you deeded back that interest. The Govt of the Genl. Land Office at Washington under date of June 17. 1880. writes as follows:

" 2d The Claimant located the Claim March 17. 1874.
" September 7th 1874 he transferred a portion (described
" by Courses and distances) to Sheldon Jackson.
" May 9th 1874. Sheldon Jackson transferred back
" to Claimant a certain tract of land. (described by
" Courses and distances) These two tracts thereof
" have been identified for the Claimant to their clear
" title. But a discrepancy between the Courses and
" distances of the two deeds occurs. Satisfactory proof
" that Sheldon Jackson transferred back to
" Claimant all land conveyed by deed of Sept. 7th in

Mr Grant." a Quit-Claim deed of all right title and interest. will settle the matter. & Just the Claim is Conclusive for both.
Will you be Kind Enough to Come to my office when I will prepare such a deed.

Respectfully Yours

Wm. H. Arnold
Atty for Defendant

Colo

[illegible]

Dear Mrs. Jackson

[illegible]

back to grow or next time. and with
service on two more Sundays, vote a
new Board of Trustees elected and to
do not leaving the church closed and
without service for the fall term. I
am sorry that it will not be right
and another plan is reported. Time,
we could do little or nothing with the
churches among strangers. Since
no noble plan can be
laid to silence Smith. Suppose it
will get us into plenty of trouble to do
by against him, until another meeting
and the church. The disgrace that he com-
mits her. And suppose it will take
long time to bring him to trial and will
do what to do with money during that
time it will not stop him in his career and
I am sure that God's children
are more than sure with it more and more
to [illegible]

Ouray Colo
Aug 23d 1880

Dear Dr. Jackson.

I have heard that you are soon to make a trip to some in the Gunnison Country, and write to ask you to make this point - one or both ways and spend as much time with us as possible.

We want very much to consult with you in regard to our Church matters, particularly as relating to our ministry.

Our sons concerning him when first we learned he was to come here are more than confirmed and it will be impossible to secure any assistance from our people to keep him here, - while we can probably raise $400. or $500. toward the support of some one who is acceptable to the majority of our people

The Episcopalians and
Methodists will be in here
very soon and if we retain
the foothold we now have we
must have a different man.

I should judge from some
remarks from Mr Hays that the
the importance of this point
failed had been very much
underestimated, — at least he
seemed very much surprised to
find just the condition of the
place. We understand how
the District came here, but it
seems to be the question now how
to get a suitable man here soon.

Have said nothing to him as to
the feeling about him which has
begun to show itself very strongly
in the last week. I did not intend
to write so much. Should be very
glad to see you and discuss matters.

Very Truly Yours
Chas E Martin

We expect to
build a church
this fall

Salt Lake City. Aug 26 - 1884

Dear Dr. Jackson:

You will excuse the (Bradley of Utah for taking a good laugh when they heard that you were left away by having the measles! He attended to all that little business down here for our Children.

I returned from Bradley on Friday. We had a good meeting & were sorry you could not be with us. But we most heartily adopted your suggestion about the Education of the Indians at the Uintah Agency. We dont see the propriety of the Foreign Board coming into Utah to meddle with the work here.

We also adopted a paper urging the Board to constitute a new

Mission District of Utah, Idaho & Montana, & Pres McMillan in charge of it. He blocked out a vast amount of work for the coming year. The coming of the 18 new teachers whom the Board Law selected will enable us to open 12 new schools - Preaching & Sunday Schools are already going. We shall then have 26 schools & 35 teachers.

Inclosed letters to you from Miss Caine who supposed you would attend Presidency. They came in an Envelope directed to "Rev Sheldon Jackson D. D. Or Rev R. G. McCrea"

I cannot stop to give you details of our meeting at Logan. We ordained Brother Merten of Manti, & dedicated Brother Parker's new Chapel. It is a beauty of a building - just the thing for Chapel & school. This re-

commanded others who are progressing
to build to model after it.

I wish you could find two good
men for Utah - one for Salt Lake City
and another at Logan. The latter
is a very important field.
We also want another missionary
in Cache Valley, one in Sevier
Co and one in Fillmore.

I think it will be a good idea
for you to form that band of new teachers
at Canada recommit them with
them, for by the time you ride with
them 3 days, you will know some-
thing about their salable merits.
The final distribution of them can
be left with the hands of Pres. Sandy
Pres. or A. M. Musser Fillmore
Bro. Elder Cazier & myself
Hope you will be able

to show the Board the wisdom of
Constituting the new Mission District
Our new School Building will be
Dedicated on Monday Evening,
Gov. Murray will be present
& deliver an address
Mrs. Huntington is expected
here this week.

Cordially yours
Robt. Gallo Wilcox

Denver Colo.
Aug. 26th/1880

I do hereby affirm that on or about June 30th 1880 I did pay to the driver, at Rena Blanca, my stage fare from Santa Fe to Sanysero, & did there sign the way bill in presence of the gentleman in charge of the little store there, & with pen & ink furnished by him, the amount of said fare as claimed by said driver being $8.10. I do further affirm that on or about July 6th 1880 I did pay to another driver the stage fare from Sanysero to Ft. Wingate, & did sign his way bill for same, the fare being $8.40. The exact dates of the payments as entered in

my day book are June 30th
& July 6th respectively.

Charles A. Taylor

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Aug 28 [illegible]

The Board of Home Missions
OF
The Presbyterian Church in the United States of America,

23 Centre Street, New York, 8.28. 1880

Dear Daisy-

I neid your postal card about your father's sickness-

I want you.

1. To give him my sympathy-
2. Tell him from me- to turn all business out his mind & lie still till he gets well. The Lord can manage without him for awhile-
3. Tell him Mr. Settle can take care of

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Albuquerque N. M.
July 28th 1880.

L. L. Fulton

Dr Sir.

Recieved your letter of the 19th inst.: We wondered what had become of you. Dr. Jackson was here on the 16th, he told us some of you must be sick or you certainly would have been here. You ask me what our prospect was for Albuq., The present looks rather gloomy, I do not know of a place that could get much in, Rooms for holding Church, suitable ones, are quite scarce. Mr & Mrs. Conklin members of our Church here, are now

living in Socorro, you have no doubt found them before this. Mrs. Brainard and Mrs. Mendenhall has gone East so you see we are few at this time. Was to hear Rev. Tobien on Sunday morning, had a very small congregation. Mr. Ashley told me he had thought of going to Socorro. We are having a rough time just now in consequence of the washouts, no mail and not very plenty of provisions, Everything seems dull just now.

I may get to Socorro when the road once reaches there. As you will be up to look around and can have a much better idea of the field, write soon.

Most Respectfully yrs. A. E. Easley

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Rev Sheldon Jackson D.D.

Denver

Colorado —

Woman's Executive Committee of Home Missions
OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

28 Centre Street. P. O. Box 3863.

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New York, Aug. 31st 1880

Dr Jackson - Dear Sir - We are so thankful to know of your being better - It had not been thought best to delay the teachers after the 1st Sept - Have made so many complications -

Mr. W. B. Robe, wife & daughter are ready to go at a month's notice - In view of uncertainty he had to make a conditional engagement - His address is Mecga - Cumberland Co - Illinois - I will send your Dairy's nice Postal - to Dr. Kendall - Several new teachers are on hand - but all expecting to go to Utah - I think Mr. Robe rather hoped for that Navajoe mission -

Yours truly F. E. H. Haines -

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Rev. Sheldon Jackson D. D.

Denver

Colorado

Colorado Springs, Col, Aug. 28th 1880.

Dear Bro.: I expect to visit some friends in Denver next week or early the week after, to spend only a day or two. If you have a field for me out from Denver I would like to look at it then - as it would save expense of travel on R.R. I cannot defer my visit to Denver later than the Sixth of October - as my ticket is limited. If the field is South or West from this point, I could visit it after my return. Very truly - Levi S. Wilson.